

## Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 23.

## LOCAL NEWS.

For the Middle Atlantic States warmer, fair weather during the rest of Wednesday, followed by local rains, warmer to-morrow morning, followed by cold weather Thursday night, winds generally shifting to southwest and northwest, lower barometer, followed by rising barometer during Thursday.

## FUND PARTY for the Poor.

The rooms of the Ladies' Union Relief on Wolfe street, will be open all day, the day before Christmas, Thursday, December 24th, to receive the annual contributions of food, and half worn clothing, to be distributed on Christmas morning among the poor. A necessary suspension of the work of the bag factory connected with the Relief, makes it important that there should be an unusually generous response this winter to our appeals. Poor indeed! desperately poor forever, should we all be, but for the priceless gift of Whom these Christmas rejoicings are intended to remind us. We are little better than heathen—surely we are in no high sense, Christian men and women, if we are so absorbed in selfish observance of the great Christmas festival as to forget or neglect the poor. Not so did He, whose birth we celebrate on Christmas day. "He pleased not Himself." "He went about doing good" to His fellow men. Let us strive, at least once a year, to rise a step higher, in emulation of His example, and count among our Christmas joys, the blessedness of giving, not to those who can make us returns, but to the poor, who cannot recompense us. It is a special pleasure to the ladies of the Relief, that so many of the children of the town enter heartily every year into this good work—it has come to be a tradition to them, and their little faces fairly beam with delight as they deposit pound after pound from the well filled basket that "mother sends for the poor." We trust fathers and mothers will see to it, that the young people who are preparing for their little folks, for Christmas, SEND THE CHILDREN—hundreds of them—it will do you and them and us and the poor good.

## LADIES' UNION RELIEF.

**CLOSING EXERCISES.**—How the times have changed. When we were a boy there was but little sympathy between teacher and pupil. The teacher kept the pupil at a distance, gave when he wanted the cane, branch applications, and when he drew the pupil too near to his august person. But now the most refreshing familiarity and the kindest feelings subsist between preceptor and pupil. This paves the way for a local mention of a pleasant little affair that occurred within the walls of the Potomac Academy this afternoon. The Potomac boys, peculiar to that successful kind of secrecy, regular to boys, had been meeting in squads for several days, comparing notes, notes, but change. At length the amount was raised and a committee of three—Arel Milburn, Julian Miller and E. Linwood Filipp—were appointed to select and purchase the presents for the proprietor and his assistant. It was soon found out that the committee had money to spend and it would make a sanctified stole ought to read a list of articles that were offered to the committee as suitable presents. But the boys shook their wise heads and after a thorough canvass in this city, without success, they spent last Saturday in Washington, visiting store after store, if haply they might find something worthy of their money, worthy of their preceptor and worthy of the generous promptings of their hearts. Their efforts were crowned with success. They came across a set of Dickens' works, handsomely bound, beautifully illustrated, and the purchase was completed. The boys doubtless had an eye to this, for Dickens always takes the side of the unfortunate, the overtasked and the persecuted, and the average Potomac Academy boy is often seen struggling with column upon column—"Ossa upon Olympus and Pelion upon Ossa"—on his back. The doctrine of Dickens is heart-soothing and humanizing. This set of Dickens' works was presented to-day as a token of love from pupils to preceptor. The preceptor looked surprised, blushed, smiled and then responded in a speech that was grateful, graceful, touching and eloquent. The assistant's present was a handsome gold pen and holder with a unique and convenient ink stand.

**AMUSEMENTS.**—The Louise Arnot dramatic company appeared last night at the Opera House in the amusing comedy "Fun on the Potomac." Miss Arnot as Widow O'Brien gave a presentation of Irish female humor, wit, strategy and determination. The part of Doris McAlister by Jennie Rebus, was well rendered and the other characters were judiciously cast. To night the emotional drama "East Lynne or the Fulfillment" will be presented with the full strength of the company. A matinee will be given to-morrow.

**Sig Fostello** delighted his audience at Armory Hall, last night, with wonderful feats in magic, &c. The second sight mystery as performed by him is the best ever seen in this city and is alone worth the price of admission. Handsome prizes were given last night and every person present seemed pleased with the evening's entertainment. A matinee will be given to-morrow when every person attending will receive a present.

**SUIT.**—Joseph H. Galer entered suit in Washington yesterday against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company, the Virginia Midland Railroad Company, and the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad Company. The plaintiff was in February last a postal railway clerk on the route from Washington to Charlotte, N. C., and was injured in the collision and wreck of trains on the 19th of February last at Four-mile run, in this county. He alleges that his injuries are incurable, and that they render it impossible for him to perform such manual labor or to engage in such useful and profitable employment as prior to receiving said injuries. The claim is \$10,000 damages.

**PARALYZED.**—Willis Randolph, a well known and respected colored citizen, who for many years has been a faithful employee at the milling store of Messrs. Hunt & Roberts, on Union street, was stricken with paralysis this morning and is now quite ill at his home in the southwest corner of the city. He went to the store as usual this morning and appeared to be perfectly well. He was left alone for a short time, and upon some one entering the store was found lying on the floor in a semi-unconscious condition. He was taken to his home as soon as possible, and, as above stated, is now quite ill.

**REV. GARABED NEGARABIAN,** a Turk, pastor of an Armenian church, will deliver an address in the First Presbyterian Church to-night. Rev. Mr. N. will be dressed in Turkish costume. He has been in the United States for five years for the purpose of prosecuting his studies and obtaining citizenship. After his lecture a collection will be taken up for the purpose of aiding in purchasing agricultural implements for his native countrymen. Services begin at half-past seven o'clock.

A turkey which had made its escape from a Cameron street commission house, and had alighted on the drug store of Messrs. Leadbeater & Bro. this morning was killed by Lieut. Smith with a cat rifle.

## CITY COUNCIL.

The meeting of Council last night was devoid of any special interest, and the business before the respective boards was quickly disposed of.

## IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Six members were present. The board was called to order at the appointed hour, and the committees called for reports, none of which, however, had any to submit; after which the Mayor's message vetoing the act recently passed by both branches of the City Council extending certain privileges granted in 1860 to the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad Co., and to its successors, the Washington, Ohio and Western railroad, was read. The original act granted the company the privilege of extending their track from the present depot on Princess street, between Lee and Fairfax, along Lee to Cameron street. The act to which the Mayor refuses to append his signature was pending in Council for nearly a year, having passed the Board of Aldermen, but being repeatedly tabled in the Common Council until a few weeks ago, when it was passed by the last named board. The act extends the original privileges granted the railroad company by allowing them to run their track along Lee to King street. The Mayor in his message gives his reasons for not signing the act in an elaborate manner, quoting the acts granting the O. & A. and W. & A. roads similar privileges, and showing where necessary provisions had been inserted in said acts—regarding rate of speed on the streets, the necessary turn-outs, the number of tracks, whether or not the grades of the streets should be altered, and making it optional with Council to have said tracks removed in the event of their proving obstructions to the traffic on the streets so used—all of which safeguards, the Mayor says, are omitted in the act he returned.

Mr. Leadbeater moved that the Mayor's veto be sustained, which, upon an aye and no vote, was carried unanimously.

The Aldermen subsequently concurred in the action of the Common Council in several matters, and at early hour adjourned.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

There was a quorum present, when President Eichberg took the chair and opened the regular meeting last night.

When the application of Jane C. Coleman for the reduction of special taxes came up, Mr. Snowden said that this money had been paid out of the corporation treasury, and it would be a bad precedent to release the property owner from paying it back. The report of the Finance Committee adverse to the application was concurred in.

The message of the Mayor objecting to the bill authorizing the occupation of Lee street by the tracks of the Washington, Ohio and Western Railroad, came in from the Aldermen endorsed—the Mayor's veto sustained.

On a motion to concur with the Board of Aldermen as to the proper parliamentary method of proceeding.

Mr. Brent insisted that no action was needed.

The chair thought that there should be a vote on concurring with the Board of Aldermen.

Mr. Snowden—It is no use killing a dead man or a dead bill. The action of the Aldermen in sustaining the veto of the Mayor ends the matter.

Mr. Sweeney supported the veto of the Mayor, and thought that it should be supported by Council.

Mr. Snowden suggested that the proper parliamentary method, was to receive the Mayor's message, and that would be all that was needed.

The motion to receive was lost.

The Chair said the question would now be on concurring with the Aldermen.

Mr. Brent made the point of order that as the Board had voted not to receive the message of the Mayor, it could not act on that which it had never received.

The Chair overruled the point of order, and Mr. Brent appealed.

Debate then proceeded on the method of proceeding with the message.

Mr. Snowden said the Mayor had killed the bill; the Board of Aldermen had killed the bill; why was it needed that Council should kill it? He was in favor of sustaining the veto of the Mayor, but not in this irregular way.

Mr. Peake thought that both boards were entitled to vote on the subject.

Mr. Brent was willing to sustain the Mayor but would not stultify himself by voting in a useless and unparliamentary manner.

Mr. Goodrich read the provision of the charter on the subject as follows: "The acts of the City Council shall be signed by the president of each branch, and shall be presented to the Mayor for his approbation, who, if he objects thereto, shall, within three days after it shall be presented to him for his assent, return it to that branch of the City Council in which it originated, with his objections in writing, and if a majority of the whole number of the members of each branch shall be of opinion that the law ought to be passed, it shall, notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor, become a law, and be signed by him." Mr. G. urged that both branches should have a vote in the matter.

The Council then concurred with the Aldermen.

When an ordinance introduced by Mr. Uhler adding cows to the animals forbidden to go at large on the streets came up,

Mr. Strider moved its reference to the Committee on General Laws.

Mr. Fisher moved to amend by referring it to the Committee on Poor. He thought that as the matter was of special interest to the poor that committee should take charge of the subject.

After some expostulation on the subject, Mr. Fisher withdrew his motion, and the bill was referred to the Committee on General Laws, and the board soon adjourned.

**PARDONS.**—Robert Williams, colored, who was convicted of horse stealing at the December, 1874, term of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, and sentenced to the penitentiary for seventeen years, was yesterday pardoned by the Governor. The recommendation for clemency was made by Speaker Stuart, who defended the prisoner at his trial.

The Governor has pardoned W. H. Greer, who was indicted jointly with Cary Page, for the murder of the Dodd boys last July, in King George county, and sentenced to nine years in the penitentiary.

**PERSONAL.**—Mr. S. G. Brent left this morning to spend the holidays in Memphis. The Legislature having adjourned, Speaker Stuart has returned from Richmond to spend the holidays with his family in this city.

On account of ill health Mr. S. A. Green, who has served the city faithfully for a number of years as Fire Warden, last night sent his resignation as such to the City Council, and it was accepted.

**WRIT OF ELECTION.**—Speaker Stuart, of the Virginia House of Delegates, to-day issued his writ to the Sheriff of Fairfax county, ordering an election in that county on Tuesday, the fifth of January next, to fill the vacancy in the House of Delegates created by the resignation of D. M. Chichester.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was clear and cool, with one prisoner and three lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Phil. Wilkinson, arrested by Officer Franks for being drunk on the street, was fined \$2.

Ed. Gitz, colored, and a white man, arrested by Officer Franks for disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

**CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS.**—Active preparations are being made for the Christmas celebrations for the children at the various churches, and in many of them the exercises will be of a very interesting character. Christ church and the First and Second Presbyterian Sunday schools will hold their exercises to-morrow night; Trinity M. E. church on the 30th, and the Baptist church on the 31st instant.

**A TOURNAMENT CONTEST** was held near Catds' yesterday evening between Messrs. Dolly Reid and Mosby Wooster to decide who was the champion tournament rider of Fairfax county. Mr. Reid took all of the ten rings and Mr. Wooster nine of the ten. A good cake was presented to the successful rider. Another contest will be held on Saturday evening at 2 o'clock.

## LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

There are plenty of oysters at the wharves. Strother Morton, a well-known colored man of this city, died in Washington yesterday.

All of the gentlemen from this city who were summoned to serve as U. S. jurors in Norfolk have returned.

The scholars of Washington School No. 1 to-day presented Col. T. H. Ficklin, their teacher, with a handsome dressing case.

The familiar faces of many former residents who have returned to spend the holidays at their homes in this city are seen on the streets.

Mr. W. S. Towson, of Stafford county, has purchased the store and stock of groceries, &c., from Mr. Jas. Smith, at the corner of the Strand and Market alley.

The handsome silver service which has been on exhibition at Messrs. Summers & Allen's store for some time past was raffled for last night and won by Mr. Champ Walker, his throw being 45.

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Latham took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence on Duke street, and was largely attended. Rev. William Dinwiddie officiating. The remains were interred in the Southern Methodist Church cemetery by the side of those of her husband.

The Salvation Army meeting last night was of short duration, the confusion created there necessitating the early closing of the doors. Lieut. Hannah Levi, who on the previous night, squelched Mrs. McDonough by her loud voice, was treated in the same manner by the audience, who refused to listen to her.

Messrs. J. W. Boteler & Son, No. 923 Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, are still offering beautiful goods for holiday presents, and invite Alexandrians when they go to Washington to visit their store.

No other medicine has won for itself such universal approbation in its own city, state, and country, and among all people, as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the best combination of vegetable blood purifiers, with the iodide of Potassium and Iron, ever offered to the public.

A clear head is indicative of good health and regular habits. When the body feels heavy and languid, and the mind works sluggishly, Ayer's Cathartic Pills will wonderfully assist to a recovery of physical buoyancy and mental vigor. The constipated should use them.

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## AMUSEMENTS.

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**MONDAY, Dec. 21st,** will be presented the great French Military Drama, entitled, "A CELEBRATED CASE."

**TUESDAY, Dec. 22d,** the musical oddity entitled "FUN ON THE POTOMAC." Miss Arnot as the Widow O'Brien.

**WEDNESDAY, Dec. 23d,** the great emotional drama entitled "EAST LYNNE, or the ELOPEMENT."

**THURSDAY, Dec. 24th,** will be presented Lot's laughable comedy, "THE LITTLE DETECTIVE." Miss Arnot appearing in five characters.

**FRIDAY, Dec. 25th,** the great tragic drama entitled "LEAH, THE FORSAKEN." In this character Miss Arnot stands pre eminent and alone.

**SATURDAY, Dec. 26th,** the very laughable comedy entitled "THE NEW WORLD."

Prices within the reach of all. Admission 10 and 20 cents. Reserved seats 10 cents extra.

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